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Applicants: SHARMA *et al.*

Application No.: HEREWITH

For: PURE LEVOFLOXACIN HEMIHYDRATE AND PROCESSES FOR  
PREPARATION THEREOF

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

Applicants respectfully request that the following amendments be entered prior to examination of the specification filed concurrently herewith, and prior to calculation of the fees therefor: